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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT RAYSTOWN LAKE APRIL 23

Hesston, Pa.- The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers are seeking volunteers to help with the construction and placement of black bass nesting structures and porcupine brush cribs at Raystown Lake. The event is scheduled for Saturday, April 23 from 8 a.m. to noon at Raystown Lake's Weaver Falls Recreation Area.

This is the fifteenth year volunteers have helped the Corps of Engineers and the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission to build and place artificial aquatic habitat structures in Raystown Lake.

Parking is available at the lake's boat launch and picnic shelter area, and there will be light refreshments available.

The event is a great opportunity for sportsmen's organizations, civic clubs or individual volunteers to demonstrate their commitment to the environment and the fisheries of Raystown Lake.

For additional information about the event or program, volunteers should contact Park Ranger Allen Gwinn at (814) 658-6810.

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Volunteers and Corps of Engineers personnel prepare to place porcupine brush cribs into Raystown Lake. Structures similar to this one will be built and placed in the waters of Raystown Lake on Saturday, April 23 at the Weaver Falls Recreation Area. For more information contact the Ranger Allen Gwinn at (814) 658-6810.

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